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This Week: **Making Connections Review, Alvin And The Chipmunks: The Road Chip Review, The Weather, Horoscopes, Double Chocolate Cookies, Comics, Upcoming Events, Ad Info**

MAKING CONNECTIONS REVIEW

Creating Connections is a theatre festival with four one act plays. Personally, I thought that it was spectacular! The creative use of lighting, the use of masks in the second play, and the great actors and actresses made this a great show! In my opinion, I thought the second play, Emotional Baggage, was the best. The masks create an eerie feeling that feels almost creepy! The first play was extremely creative in the way they used light and shadows to base the story. The third play, Bottom's Dream, was based on Shakespeare's Midsummer Night's Dream, but cut out characters to focus only on a few. This was very effective, and it told the story very well. The fourth performance was very entertaining. In the beginning, the actors entered from behind, which was quite engaging. This play was also very creative because of its main character who would pause the show for a bit and explain more about their situation, and more about her role. This play explained about how people record history and maybe "somebody, someday" will find this information she is recording useful. Overall, I give this play 5/5 stars. Combined with its magnificent acting, and its great stories, it was a great hit!

-Nathaniel Sorochan

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Alvin And The Chipmunks: The Road Chip Review

Alvin and the Chipmunks: The Road Chip (Oh god why)

Alvin and the Chipmunks 4. The movie nobody asked for. Why is this movie series still a thing? Even little kids don't care about this heap of trash anymore. Yes, I paid twelve dollars to see high pitched chipmunks screech bad songs. And yes, I went alone. Without further introduction, let's head in to this nightmare, together. (If anyone is even reading this...)

First of all, the story is very aggravating. Dave is going to Florida to propose to his girlfriend. And Alvin, being the complete jack*** he is, thinks he is going to dump the chipmunk gang. (Spoiler alert: Alvin is wrong again!) One strange part about this: no chipettes? I'm finally free from these wannabe teenage girls who make any song sound horrible when they sing it! On another note, I realize that this movie wasn't meant for me. But jeez, did this movie suck...but not as badly as I thought it would. At least it wasn't as bad as the third one...

One and a half stars. Next week, another movie not made for me. A teen girl movie... a wave of sorts... -Hayden Anderson

The Weather Provided By The Weather Network

	Mon Jan 25	Tue Jan 26	Wed Jan 27	Thu Jan 28	Fri Jan 29	Sat Jan 30	Sun Jan 31
	Mainly sunny	Snow-rain showers	A mix of sun and clouds	Snow-rain showers	A mix of sun and clouds	A mix of sun and clouds	A mix of sun and clouds
	-1 °C	4 °C	4 °C	6 °C	3 °C	-1 °C	-6 °C
Feels like:	-5	1	0	3	-2	-7	-10
Low:	-9°	0°	1°	-1°	-6°	-11°	-15°
POP:	20%	40%	20%	40%	20%	20%	20%
24 Hr Rain:	-	<1 mm	-	<1 mm	-	-	-
24 Hr Snow:	-	<1 cm	-	-	<1 cm	-	-
Wind:	15 km/h SW	15 km/h SW	20 km/h W	20 km/h SW	25 km/h W	25 km/h W	15 km/h W
Hrs of Sun:	6	5	4	5	4	3	3

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Horoscopes

Aries- You're almost done a large task. Keep going!

Taurus- Why change what you're doing? Everything is working out?

Gemini- How many times do I have to tell you, you need more sleep!

Cancer- Slow and steady wins the race!

Leo- Stay close to your friends. They will aid you.

Virgo- Phew! You're exhausted. Try some meditation, or something, 'cause you need it!

Libra: Stay confident! That's it!

Scorpio: Just wait. Life will become less tiring soon!

Sagittarius: Just keep going. Even though it may seem tough, you have the ability to persevere and succeed.

Capricorn: Explore a little more. Get out of your comfort zone.

Aquarius: Yay! Keep being funny! You're brightening other people's day!

Pisces: Stay happy! You are doing a great job!

Upcoming Events

Monday, January 25

- Junior High Junior Boys Basketball Practice – 7:45 – 8:40 a.m. – South Gym
- Wellness Centre – Open from 8:30 – 5:00 p.m.
- Math Support Group – Grades 7 to Math 31 level – @ lunch - Room 2420
- Dance Xtreme Rehearsal – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. in Dance Studio 1217
- Jazz Combo Rehearsal – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. in Room 1258
- Leaps and Bounds Rehearsal - 3:30 – 5:00 p.m
- Junior High Senior Girls Basketball Game – Spruce Avenue @ Vic – 4:15 -5:30 p.m

Tuesday, January 26

- Junior High Junior Boys Basketball Practice – 7:45 – 8:40 a.m. – North Gym
- Student Leadership Meeting – 7:45 – 8:30 a.m.
- Wellness Centre – Open from 8:00 – 4:30 p.m.
- Math Support Group – Grades 7 to Math 31 level – @ lunch - Room 2420
- Elementary and Junior High Cheer Practice – 3:30 – 5:30 p.m. – North Gym
- Jazz Choir Rehearsal – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Room 1309
- Jazz Ensemble – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Room 1258
- Leaps and Bounds Rehearsal - 3:30 – 5:00 p.m
- High School Cheer Practice – 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. – North Gym

Chocolate Chocolate Chip Cookies

Ingredients:

- 2 cups of semisweet chocolate chips
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2 eggs
- 3/4 of a cup of packed brown sugar
- 3/4 of a cup of white sugar
- 1 cup of softened butter
- 1 teaspoon of baking soda
- 1/2 cup of cocoa powder
- 2 cups of all purpose flour

Method:

1. Preheat oven to 350F (175C). Whisk together the flour, cocoa powder, and baking soda.
2. Beat the butter, white sugar, and brown sugar with an electric mixer in a large bowl until smooth. Beat in one egg until completely incorporated. Beat in the last egg along with the vanilla. Mix in the flour mixture until just incorporated. Fold in the chocolate chips; mixing just enough to evenly combine. Drop by heaped teaspoonfuls onto ungreased baking sheets.
3. Bake in the preheated oven until the edges are golden, 9 to 12 minutes. Allow the cookies to cool on the baking sheet for 1 minute before removing to a wire rack to cool completely.

Upcoming Events cont'd

Wednesday, January 27

- Junior Jazz Ensemble – 7:30 – 8:30 a.m. in Room 1258
- Wellness Centre – Open from 8:30 – 5:00 p.m.
- Jazz Combo – 11:40 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. in Room 1258
- Math Support Group – Grades 7 to Math 31 level – @ Lunch - Room 2420
- Men's Jazz Choir – 11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. in Room 1249
- Contemporary Dance Ensemble Rehearsal – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. in Dance Studio 1217
- Dance Xtreme Rehearsal – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. in Dance Studio 1217
- Junior High Girls Basketball Practice – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. a.m. – North Gym
- Leaps and Bounds Rehearsal - 3:30 – 5:00 p.m
- Junior High Junior Boys Basketball Game – Killarney @ Vic – 4:15 – 5:30 p.m.

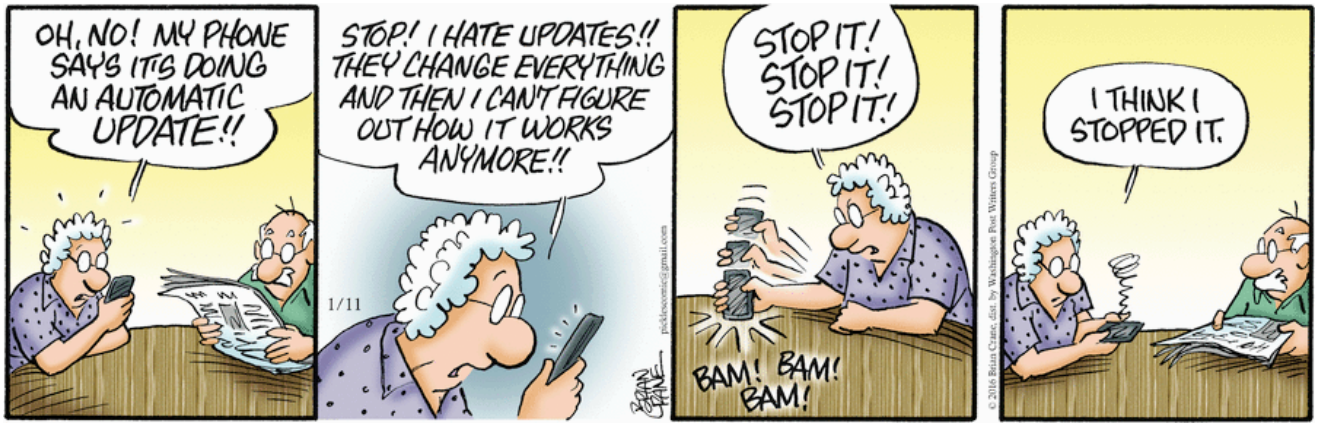
Thursday, January 28

- Wellness Centre – Open from 8:00 – 4:30 p.m.
- Jazz Ensemble – 11:40 – 12:10 p.m. – Room 1258
- Math Support Group – Grades 7 to Math 31 level – @ Lunch - Room 2420
- Elementary and Junior High Cheer Practice – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – North Gym
- Jazz Choir Rehearsal – 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Room 1309
- Leaps and Bounds Rehearsal - 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.
- High School Cheer Practice – 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. – North Gym

Friday, January 29- No School

Comics

WHAT'S WRONG, MORT?
LAST NIGHT I DREAMED I WAS EATING A GIANT MARSHMALLOW!
SO?
SO WHEN I WOKE UP THIS MORNING...
...MY PILLOW WAS GONE!


OH, NO! MY PHONE SAYS IT'S DOING AN AUTOMATIC UPDATE!!
STOP! I HATE UPDATES!! THEY CHANGE EVERYTHING AND THEN I CAN'T FIGURE OUT HOW IT WORKS ANYMORE!!
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STOP IT! STOP IT! STOP IT!
BAM! BAM! BAM!
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